

**House File 74 - Introduced**

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BY INGELS

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to the maximum annual services caps for  
2 specified services under certain Medicaid home and  
3 community-based services waivers.  
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. MEDICAID INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY HOME  
2 AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES WAIVER — HOME AND VEHICLE  
3 MODIFICATIONS — ANNUAL SERVICES CAP. The department of health  
4 and human services shall eliminate the lifetime maximum cap and  
5 instead establish and maintain a home and vehicle modifications  
6 services annual maximum cap per waiver member year for the  
7 Medicaid intellectual disability home and community-based  
8 services waiver to reflect the same amount as that for the  
9 home and vehicle modifications services annual maximum cap  
10 per waiver member year for the Medicaid brain injury home  
11 and community-based services waiver. The department shall  
12 continue to require that any home and vehicle modifications are  
13 medically necessary and are subject to prior authorization by  
14 the department.

15 EXPLANATION

16 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with  
17 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

18 This bill requires the department of health and human  
19 services (HHS) to eliminate the lifetime maximum cap and  
20 instead establish and maintain a home and vehicle modifications  
21 services annual maximum cap per waiver member year for the  
22 Medicaid intellectual disability home and community-based  
23 services (HCBS) waiver to reflect the same amount as that for  
24 the home and vehicle modifications services annual maximum cap  
25 for the Medicaid brain injury HCBS waiver. The department  
26 shall continue to require that any such modifications are  
27 medically necessary and are subject to prior authorization by  
28 HHS.

29 For fiscal year 2022-2023, the home and vehicle  
30 modifications lifetime maximum cap for the intellectual  
31 disability HCBS waiver is \$5,727.37 and the annual maximum cap  
32 for the brain injury HCBS waiver is \$6,872.85.